

Remarks

Claims 1-12 were pending.

Claims 1-9 and 12 are amended.

Claims 10 and 11 are original.

Claims 13-19 are new.

The application now contains claims 1-19.

Claims 1 and 2 are amended to remove multiple ranges.

Claim 3 is amended to remove both multiple ranges and multiple dependencies.

Claims 4-9 and 12, are amended to remove multiple dependencies.

Claim 12 is also amended to convert it to a method claim.

Support is inherent in the original claims.

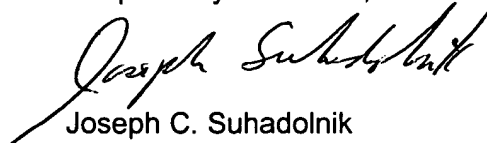
Claims 13 and 14 are added to reclaim material deleted from claim 1.

Claims 15-17 are added to reclaim material deleted from claim 3.

Claims 18 and 19 are added to reclaim material deleted from claims 4 and 5.

No new matter is added. Consideration of the present claims on their merits is respectfully awaited.

Respectfully submitted,



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